

**Table 4**  
**Department of Justice Objection Letters as a Percent of Number of Texas Governments 1975-2013**

Year	Rate of DOJ Objection Letters	
	Rate of DOJ Objections Per Number of Governments	Not Withdrawn or Reversed Per Number of Governments
1975	0.03%	0.03%
1976	0.78%	0.65%
1977	0.31%	0.23%
1978	0.41%	0.36%
1979	0.30%	0.25%
1980	0.24%	0.21%
1981	0.07%	0.07%
1982	0.19%	0.19%
1983	0.09%	0.09%
1984	0.05%	0.05%
1985	0.13%	0.13%
1986	0.11%	0.11%
1987	0.05%	0.05%
1988	0.16%	0.16%
1989	0.11%	0.11%
1990	0.12%	0.10%
1991	0.17%	0.15%
1992	0.46%	0.44%
1993	0.21%	0.21%
1994	0.25%	0.23%
1995	0.06%	0.06%
1996	0.02%	0.02%
1997	0.02%	0.00%
1998	0.04%	0.00%
1999	0.02%	0.02%
2000	0.02%	0.02%
2001	0.04%	0.04%
2002	0.04%	0.04%
2003	0.00%	0.00%
2004	0.00%	0.00%
2005	0.00%	0.00%
2006	0.02%	0.02%
2007	0.00%	0.00%
2008	0.02%	0.02%
2009	0.02%	0.02%
2010	0.04%	0.04%
2011	0.00%	0.00%
2012	0.10%	0.10%
2013	0.02%	0.02%

Source: Information Provided by the U.S. Department of Justice to the Office of the Attorney General of Texas on March 7, 2014